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| <b>AMENDMENT</b> | Application #  | 10/567,643       |
|                  | Confirmation # | 2435             |
|                  | Filing Date    | January 29, 2007 |
|                  | First Inventor | VAN DEN BERG     |
|                  | Art Unit       | 3651             |
|                  | Examiner       | Hess, Douglas A. |
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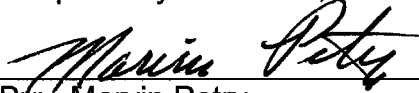
In response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2007, please consider the responsive **Remarks** provided herewith in **Attachment A**, and please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Specification** are reflected in the replacement paragraph(s) provided herewith in **Attachment B**.
- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims provided herewith in **Attachment C**.
- **Amendments to the Drawings** are reflected in the replacement sheet(s) provided herewith in **Attachment D**.

In view of the amendments made and the remarks provided, it is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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